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# OVERTURE TO THE OCCASIONAL ORATORIO.

ARRANGED FROM THE SCORE BY W.T. BEST.

HANDEL.

Largo.

(TUTTI)

(Viol. & Oboi.)

(Tromba.)

(Oboi.)

(TUTTI)

(Trombe.)

(Oboi.)

(TUTTI)

(Viol.)

(TUTTI)

(Viol.)

*Allegro.*

2

(viol.)

*mf*

(Viol.)

(BASSO.)

(TUTTI.)

(viol.)

(TUTTI.)

(viol.)

2

3

4

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6

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2638

Adagio.

(Oboe Solo.)

(Viol.)

5

MARCH.

(TUTTI.)

Allegro

Moderato.

f

f

f

f

f

FINE.

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## SONGS.

No.	Reduced Price.	No.	Reduced Price.	No.	Reduced Price.
22	<i>And God made the firmament</i> (Creation)	Recit. B.	0 6	241	Indulge thy faith (Solomon)
411	Angels ever bright and fair	Air s.	0 6	242	Infernal spirits (Saul)
58	Arm, arm, ye brave (Judas)	Air B.	1 3	243	Impious wretch (Saul)
	<i>We come in bright array</i> (Judas)	Chorus		302	In sweetest harmony (Saul)
218	O Lord, whose mercies (Saul)	Air A.	0 9	386	In Jehovah's awful sight (Deborah)
	A serpent in my bosom (Saul)	Air B.		387	Whilst you boast the wondrous story (Deborah)
219	As great Jehovah lives (Saul)	Air B.	0 6	388	Impious mortal, cease to brave us (Deborah)
	Wisest and greatest (Saul)	Air T.		151	Joys that are pure (Samson)
220	Author of peace (Saul)	Air s.	0 6	152	Just are the ways of God (Samson)
221	Awful pleasing being (Joshua)	Air A.	0 9	154	Loud as the thunder's awful (Samson)
222	As cheers the sun (Joshua)	Air s.	0 6	155	Laud her, all ye virgin train (Jephtha)
328	As when the Dove (Acis)	Air s.	0 9	156	Let the bright Seraphim (Samson)
381	Awake the Ardour of thy breast (Deborah)	Air B.	0 6	157	My faith and truth Air s. & cho. of virgins
382	All danger disdaining (Deborah)	Air A.	0 6	245	My strength is from (Samson)
383	At my feet extended low (Deborah)	Air A.	0 9	246	While yet thy tide (Saul)
1	<i>Thus saith the Lord</i> (Messiah)	Recit. B.	1 0	65	My soul rejects the thought (Saul)
	But who may abide (Messiah)	Air B.		66	No unallowed desire (Judas)
2	Behold, and see (Messiah)	Air T.	0 6	41	Now Heaven in fullest (Creation)
3	But thou didst not leave (Messiah)	Air s.	0 6	40	Now vanish before (Creation)
223	Bless'd be the day (Solomon)	Air s.	0 9	Despairing, cursing rage (Creation)	Chorus
224	Beneath the vine (Solomon)	Air s.	0 9	10	O thou that tellest (Messiah)
225	Birth and fortune (Saul)	Air T.	0 6	158	Open thy marble jaws (Jephtha)
226	But sooner Jordan's stream (Saul)	Air T.	0 6	159	On me let blind mistaken zeal (Jephtha)
408	But Oh! what art can teach	Ode on		160	O mirror of our fickle state (Samson)
	Orpheus could lead	Air s.	St. Cecilia's Day	162	O god-like youth (Saul)
227	Brave Jonathan (Saul)	Air A.	0 6	251	O king, your favour (Saul)
	Eagles were not so swift (Saul)	Chorus		252	O first in wisdom (Joshua)
59	Call forth thy powers (Judas)	Air T.	0 9	253	O who can tell (Joshua)
330	Cease, to beauty to be suing (Acis)	Air B.	0 9	254	O had I Jubal's lyre (Joshua)
60	Come even smiling liberty (Judas)	Air s.	0 6	255	O, ruddier than the cherry (Acis)
228	Can I see my infant gor'd (Solomon)	Air s.	0 6	392	O the pleasure my soul is possessing (Deborah)
229	Capricious man (Saul)	Air s.	0 9	393	Our fears are now for ever fled (Deborah)
331	Consider, fond Shepherd (Acis)	Air T.	0 6	161	Pour forth no more (Jephtha)
334	Choirs of Angels, all around thee (Deborah)	Air s.	0 6	162	Presuming slave (Samson)
4	<i>Comfort ye my people</i> (Messiah)	Recit. T.	0 9	67	Pious orgies (Judas)
	Ev'ry valley (Messiah)	Air T.		256	Praise ye the Lord (Solomon)
137	Dull delay in piercing anguish (Jephtha)	Air A.	0 9	257	Pious king, and virtuous queen (Solomon)
181	Deeper and deeper still (Jephtha)	Recit. T.	1 0	Place danger around me (Joshua)	Air A.
	Waft her, angels (Jephtha)	Air T.		11	Rejoice greatly (Messiah)
230	Every sight these eyes behold (Solomon)	Air s.	1 0	43	Rolling in foaming billows (Creation)
61	From mighty kings (Judas)	Air s.	0 9	163	Return, O God of hosts (Samson)
62	Father of Heaven (Judas)	Air B.	0 9	68	Rejoice, O Judah (Judas)
138	Freedom now once more (Jephtha)	Air B.	0 6	339	Revenge, Timotheus cries (Alexander's Feast)
139	First perish thou (Jephtha)	Air A.	0 9	164	Scenes of horror (Jephtha)
140	Farewell ye limpid springs (Jephtha)	Air s.	0 9	165	Sweet as sight to the blind (Jephtha)
141	Freely I to heaven resign (Jephtha)	Air s.	0 9	340	Shepherd, what art thou pursuing (Acis)
231	Fell rage and black despair (Saul)	Air s.	0 6	406	Sharp violins proclaim Ode on
232	O let it not in Gath be heard (Saul)	Air A.	0 6	69	So rapid thy course is (Judas)
	From this unhappy day (Saul)	Air A.		70	Sound an alarm (Judas)
233	Fly, malicious spirit, fly (Saul)	Air A.	0 9	We hear (Judas)	Chorus
142	God of our Fathers (Samson)	Air s.	1 0	71	So shall the lute (Judas)
143	Great Dagon has subdued (Samson)	Air T.	0 6	341	Softly sweet, in Lydian measure (Alexander's Feast)
234	Golden columns (Solomon)	Air T.	0 9	258	Sacred raptures (Solomon)
5	He shall feed his flock (Messiah)	Air s.	0 6	259	See the tall palm (Solomon)
6	He was despised (Messiah)	Air A.	0 6	260	See with what a scornful air (Saul)
63	He layeth the beams (Israel)	Air B.	0 9	261	Such haughty beauties (Saul)
235	He sung Darius, great and good (Alexander's Feast)	Air s.	0 6	262	Sin not, O king (Saul)
	How vain is man (Judas)	Air T.		263	See the raging flames arise (Joshua)
7	How beautiful are the feet (Messiah)	Air s.	0 9	264	Shall I in Mamm're's fertile plain (Joshua)
	Their sound is gone out (Messiah)	Chorus		394	Swift inundation of desolation (Deborah)
144	His mighty arm (Jephtha)	Air T.	1 0	295	The people that walked (Messiah)
145	Happy they (Jephtha)	Air s.	0 6	296	Smiling Freedom (Deborah)
146	Happy, Iphis, shalt thou live (Jephtha)	Air s.	0 6	297	Your words, O King (Saul)
	For ever blessed be (Jephtha)	Air T.		298	Ye men of Judah (Saul)
147	Honor and arms (Samson)	Air B.	1 0	299	The Recitatives, There were shepherds, &c. (Messiah)
148	How willing my paternal love (Samson)	Air B.	0 6	13	Thou art gone up on high (Messiah)
235	Haste to the cedar grove (Solomon)	Air s.	0 6	14	Thou shalt break them (Messiah)
236	How green our fertile (Solomon)	Air s.	0 6	15	The trumpet shall sound (Messiah)
237	Haste, Israel, haste (Joshua)	Air T.	0 9	16	Their land brought forth frogs (Israel)
238	Hark! 'tis the linnet (Joshua)	Air s.	1 0	72	Take the heart (Jephtha)
239	Heroes, when with glory (Joshua)	Air A.	0 9	160	Take the heart (Jephtha)
333	Heart, the seat of soft delight (Acis)	Air s.	0 6	167	The smiling dawn (Jephtha)
240	Happy, oh! thrice happy they (Joshua)	Air s.	0 6	342	The Prince, unable to conceal his pain (Alexander's Feast)
334	Holy, holy, Lord God Almighty	Air s.	0 6	343	The Princes applaud with a furious joy (Alexander's Feast)
332	Hush, ye pretty warbling choir (Acis)	Air s.	0 9	405	The soft complaining flute (Ode on St. Cecilia's Day)
385	How lovely is the blooming fair (Deborah)	Air s.	0 6	168	Tune the soft melodious lute (Jephtha)
	I know that my Redeemer (Messiah)	Air s.	0 6	170	Then free from sorrow (Samson)
9	If God is for us (Messiah)	Air s.	0 6	171	Torments, alas, are not confined (Samson)
39	And God said (Creation)	Recit. T.	0 6	172	Total eclipse (Samson)
	In splendour bright (Creation)	Recit. T.		169	'Tis heaven's all-ruling power (Jephtha)
36	In native worth (Creation)	Air T.	0 9	173	Thy glorious deeds (Samson)
149	In gentle murmurs (Jephtha)	Air A.	0 9	174	Then long eternity (Samson)
150	It is not virtue, valour, wit (Samson)	Air A.	0 9	175	To song and dance (Samson)

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